

Protect Cultural Responsiveness in SLP – Email Templates & Linktree Guide

ASHA is quietly attempting to remove cultural responsiveness from licensure and CEU requirements. Below are tools you can use to push back and make your voice heard.



Call ASHA

ASHA Member Services

Phone: 800-498-2071

Hours: Mon–Fri, 8:30 AM–5:00 PM ET

Ask to speak to:

- Office of Government Affairs
- Office of DEI
- Certification/CEU Department



Email ASHA Action Center

Email: actioncenter@asha.org

Subject: Protect DEI in Licensure and CEUs – Member Concern

Dear ASHA Leadership,

I am writing to express my deep concern regarding the reported removal of cultural responsiveness from licensure and CEU requirements. As a member of the speech-language pathology profession, I urge you to uphold the commitments made to DEI in 2020 and beyond.

Removing cultural responsiveness is not a neutral action—it is a harmful regression that puts both clinicians and clients at risk. I respectfully request that ASHA release a transparent statement on this issue and recommit to protecting equity in all professional standards.

Sincerely,

[Your Full Name]

[ASHA ID if applicable]

[Credentials]



Email ASHA DEI Office

Email: diversity@asha.org

Use the same email as above or include a personal story about how DEI impacts your work.



Email ASHA Certification Department

Email: certification@asha.org

Subject: Preserving Cultural Responsiveness in CCC Standards

Use the same general email template above.

 Suggested Linktree Buttons

1.  Call ASHA – Demand Equity Now

Link: tel:18004982071

2.  Email ASHA Leadership (DEI Concern)

Link: [mailto:actioncenter@asha.org?subject=Protect DEI in Licensure and CEUs – Member Concern](mailto:actioncenter@asha.org?subject=Protect%20DEI%20in%20Licensure%20and%20CEUs%20-%20Member%20Concern)

3.  Email ASHA DEI Office

Link: [mailto:diversity@asha.org?subject=Urgent Concern – Protect Cultural Responsiveness in SLP Practice](mailto:diversity@asha.org?subject=Urgent%20Concern%20-%20Protect%20Cultural%20Responsiveness%20in%20SLP%20Practice)

4.  Email Certification Department

Link: [mailto:certification@asha.org?subject=Preserving Cultural Responsiveness in CCC Standards](mailto:certification@asha.org?subject=Preserving%20Cultural%20Responsiveness%20in%20CCC%20Standards)

5.  Copy Email Template (this doc)

Upload this file to your Google Drive and make it public to share

6.  Learn What's Happening — Full Juneteenth Post

Link to your Instagram post or blog explaining ASHA's actions and your advocacy